## In the United States Court of Federal Claims

No. 03-445C (Filed: July 25, 2003)

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U.S. COURT OF FEDERAL CLAIMS

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TEXAS PEANUT FARMERS, et al.,

Plaintiffs,

v.

THE UNITED STATES,

Defendant,

,

**SCHEDULING ORDER** 

Based upon the status conference held July 25, 2003, it is hereby ORDERED:

- 1) The plaintiffs shall file with the court their response to the defendant's motion to dismiss by Friday, August 8, 2003.
- 2) The defendant shall file with the court its reply to the plaintiffs' response pursuant to the Rules of the United States Court of Federal Claims.

The court encourages the parties to explore a joint stipulation of dismissal that codifies the representations of the defendant before this court that pursuant to 7 U.S.C. § 1506(d), the exclusive forum for the plaintiffs' action is in the appropriate United States district court.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

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Clerk, U.S. Court of Federal Claims

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Judge